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By Dona Z. Pazzibugan and Norman Bordadora

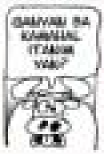
LAST-TERM SEN. SERGIO Osmeña III will replace San Juan Mayor JV Ejercito as the campaign manager of the Genuine Opposition.

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Mr. Big Spender: I'm like 'a pechay in full bloom'

By Gil C. Cabacungan Jr.

THE ELECTION'S BIGgest spender so far is unapologetic about shelling out more than P40 million a week for television ads, claiming it is money



LP warns GO: Stop at 11

Gonzalez blamed for canceled GO rally in Iloilo

By Norman Bordadora and Leila B. Salaverria

ILOILO CITY—JUSTICE SECRETARY Raul Gonzalez is suspected of having been behind the purported barrage of text warnings that caused the cancellation of the Genuine Opposition rally here on Wednesday night.

"It's very possible that he (Gonzalez) was behind those text messages," Gov. Niel Tupas told the Inquirer of the late-afternoon messages warning of "violence" should the rally, GO's first major out-of-town sortie, push through in front of the provincial capitol.

Tupas' chief confidant, provincial administrator Manuel Mejorada, was definite naming the justice secretary as being responsible for the scuttling of the rally.

"The mayor (Iloilo Mayor Jerry Treñas) had nothing to do with it. Gonzalez has his own people to do such things. Besides, he has a track record of preventing the political activities [in Iloilo] of anti-administration people," Mejorada said.

Sources in the GO camp said that as early as four days before the scheduled rally

GONZALEZ/ A11

Docs say political medical missions dangerous to health

By Tessa Salazar

CAN POLITICS AND MEDICAL MISSIONS mix?

DOCS/ A6



WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS PICTURE? Led by Victor Wood, KBL Senate bets sing their hearts out at a campaign sortie in a public market in Davao City on Thursday. The "choir" members from left are Mel Chavez, Oliver Lozano, Wood, Ruben Enciso, Joselito "Peter" Cayetano and Ed Orpilla. KBL was Marcos' vintage political party during the glory days of the "New Society."

LP Drilon wing to continue rooting for Kiko

By Dona Pazzibugan

A FACTION OF THE LIBERAL Party reminded leaders of the Genuine Opposition yesterday of their "agreement" not to get another candidate to replace Sen. Francis Pangilinan on the 12-member slate.

Sen. Franklin Drilon, president of an LP wing, said the party had an agreement with the GO leadership "that there will only be 11 senatorial candidates that shall be carried by the GO campaign machinery."

The GO leadership had decided to officially drop Pangilinan from the slate as a "guest candidate." His replacement is seriously being considered. Which translates into a 12th candidate on the GO slate, as far as Drilon's LP is concerned.

"We expect the GO and former Sen. Ernesto Maceda and (Makati) Mayor (Jejomar) Binay to respect our agreement that the GO will field only 11 candidates in order that the LP can campaign without hindrance for the candidacy of Sen. Kiko Pangilinan as its 12th candidate," Drilon said.

Maceda, an opposition senior leader, said it was Senate President Manuel Villar who consented in behalf of Pangilinan to deposed President Joseph Estrada's offer that they be adopted by the opposition as "guest candidates."

Maceda said the agreement was sealed on Feb. 10, or two days before the deadline for the filing of candidacy for senatorial candidates, during Villar's visit to Estrada in his detention place in Tanay, Rizal.

LP WARNS/ A11

Kapatiran shows how to campaign 'slowly, surely and profoundly'

By Christian V. Esguerra

A TRIO OF MIDDLE-AGED MEN wearing campaign vests motored around town to quiet response from vendors and bystanders probably looking for familiar faces.

KAPATIRAN/ A6

Noynoy also campaigning for Mar as president in 2010

By Christian V. Esguerra

OUTGOING TARLAC REP. BENIGNO "Noynoy" Aquino III yesterday turned his senatorial campaign into a preview of the 2010 presidential election.

NOYNOY/ A11

Money, personal differences split RP 1st Mt. Everest team

By Alcuin Papa

PERSONAL AND MONEY PROBLEMS HAVE split into two the First Philippine Mt. Everest Expedition Team, the Inquirer learned yesterday.

MONEY/ A6



GO BETWEEN: President Arroyo is sandwiched between Trade Secretary Peter Favila and Dick Hunter, vice president of Dell Philippines, which is the US computer maker's local contact center, during the inauguration of Dell's second hub in the country at Eastwood Cyberspace in Libis, Quezon City. Dell has started recruiting people for its Quezon City site, which will have a workforce of 1,200. (Story on Page B7).

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Market rout can't touch RP – GMA

PRESIDENT MACAPAGAL-ARROYO YESTERDAY said the economy had become too strong to be threatened by a one-day global stock market rout.



Kris back in hospital; game show sub sought

By Bayani San Diego Jr.

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Mood swings

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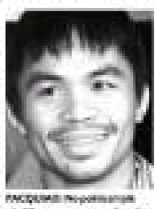
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Unity Team takes new campaign tack



For now, Pacquiao lets his fists do the talking



Army captain separated from coup co-accused

By Christine O. Avendaño

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McDonald's Proudly Showcases Food Quality Through Its Open Doors Program



Sharon Cuneta, the McDonald's Mom



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HOW DOES YOUR CHILD'S FAVORITE CHICKEN McDo come out oh-so-juicy and crispy? What potatoes are used in making your favorite McDonald's French Fries? How long does it take to cook a yummy McDonald's Cheeseburger? What nutrients are in every McDonald's salad?



[illegible] with Ronald McDonald.

In its thrust to promote the brand's promise of food safety and quality and embarking upon a course of unprecedented openness, McDonald's boldly goes where no local fast-food chain has gone before – to open its kitchens to the public with its Open Doors Program in a brave move to communicate to all – especially to moms – that each McDonald's meal is thoughtfully made, using only the freshest ingredients, under the best and most caring conditions.

Many concerned moms participated in the kitchen tours that highlighted the main preparation areas – the Fries, Chicken, Burger, and Salad stations. Each tour lasted an hour, divided into pre-tour, tour, and post-tour segments.

Some celebrity moms could not resist the urge to sneak a peek in Ronald's kitchen, including celebrated actresses Jackielou Blanco, Maricel Fernandez, Yayo Aguila and Cheska Diaz, as well as fashion retailer Ruby Gan, television host Chiqui Roa-Puno, and sportscaster/host Shaun Bermudez-Hizon. They all discovered how each McDonald's kitchen is kept under lock by the four key words Quality, Service, Cleanliness and Value (QSC&V). QSC&V is what brings consistency in all McDonald's products, and it is this consistency that has made McDonald's one of the most loved and trusted brands in the world. Effectively promoting McDonald's promise of food safety and quality, the simultaneous tours also demonstrated the brand's care for all families' well-being by way of careful food preparation. By strengthening ties with the family, McDonald's Open Doors Program reflects the brand's role as parenting partner and ally in providing products that even the most discerning consumers can trust within an atmosphere of security.

"When it comes to quality, we at McDonald's never leave anything to chance," says McDonald's President Kenneth Yang. "We make sure to give them the proper training and we check every single step from the market to the store."

"This is where QSC&V really matters. It helps us bring order in what we do and consistency in all our products. When it comes to quality, we at McDonald's never leave anything to chance," says McDonald's President Kenneth Yang. "We make sure to give them the proper training and we check every single step from the market to the store," he proudly added.

McDonald's VP for Marketing Margot Torres adds, "Opening our kitchens reinforces our openness and transparency. Moms can feel at ease knowing that they are giving their children and the rest of their family only the freshest and best quality meals."

Last February 23, 14 stores nationwide participated in the program, namely: McDonald's Lanuy, Legaspi, Quezon Avenue, EDSA FF, Governor Forbes, Las Piñas, Sucat Paranaque, Osmeña Cebu, Cebu North Road, Banawa, Bacolod Lacson, CM Lucas Pangasinan, Olongapo Gapan Road, and SM Sta. Rosa.

This program was first implemented in McDonald's China and Australia, where it was likewise well-received.



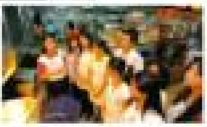
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McDonald's President Kenneth Yang



All smiles after the tour: Yayo Aguila, Jackielou Blanco, Tessa Prieto-Valdes, Maricel Fernandez and Cindy Yang with Ronald McDonald.



Chiqui Roa-Puno, Shaun Bermudez-Hizon, and Yayo Aguila listen to how the McDonald's Sugar Salad is prepared.



VP for ROG Malou Salazar, Ronald McDonald, Cheska Diaz, Maricel Fernandez, and Jackielou Blanco



Shaun Bermudez-Hizon, Chiqui Roa-Puno, and Yayo Aguila carefully participate in the tour.

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Leviste malingering to stay out of jail, says Gonzalez

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Man with P4M in suitcase held

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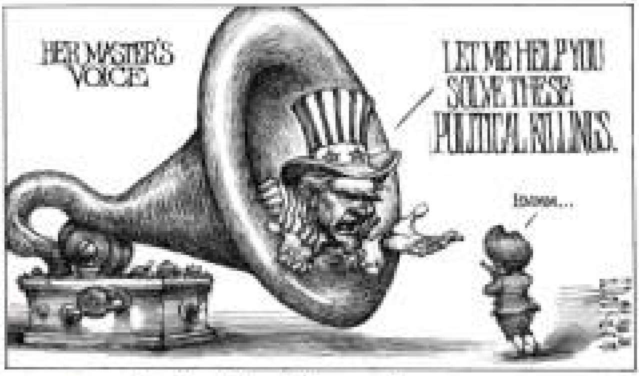
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Manila illegally collecting business taxes

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Health risks at call centers probed

BAGUIO CITY—RESEARCHERS of a Baguio hospital have started investigating medical problems that appear to have risen from call centers and other business process outsourcing (BPO) facilities operating at the Baguio City Economic Zone.

Lack of sleep

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Groups demand jobs abroad for 18-yr-olds

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Pasay standoff spawns new cases

Dismissed officials sue city execs, DILG

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Iran, Syria to meet with US, UK on Iraq crisis

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In Australia, sex workers as happy as other women

Close up account of US soldier who raped, murdered in Iraq

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US, N. Korea set talks on normalizing relations

WASHINGTON—THE UNITED STATES WILL BEgin landmark talks Monday on normalizing relations with North Korea, a regime once branded as part of an "axis of evil" by US President George W. Bush.

In a sign of rapidly easing tensions just two weeks after the secretive Stalinist regime agreed to freeze its nuclear program, US Assistant Secretary of State Christopher Hill said he would meet for the talks Monday and Tuesday in New York with North Korean Vice Foreign Minister Kim Kye-Gwan.

Under the Feb. 13 deal, North Korea said it would shut down its main nuclear facility and begin steps towards giving up its nuclear weapons program in exchange for some 300 million dollars in aid and moves towards "full diplomatic relations" with the US.

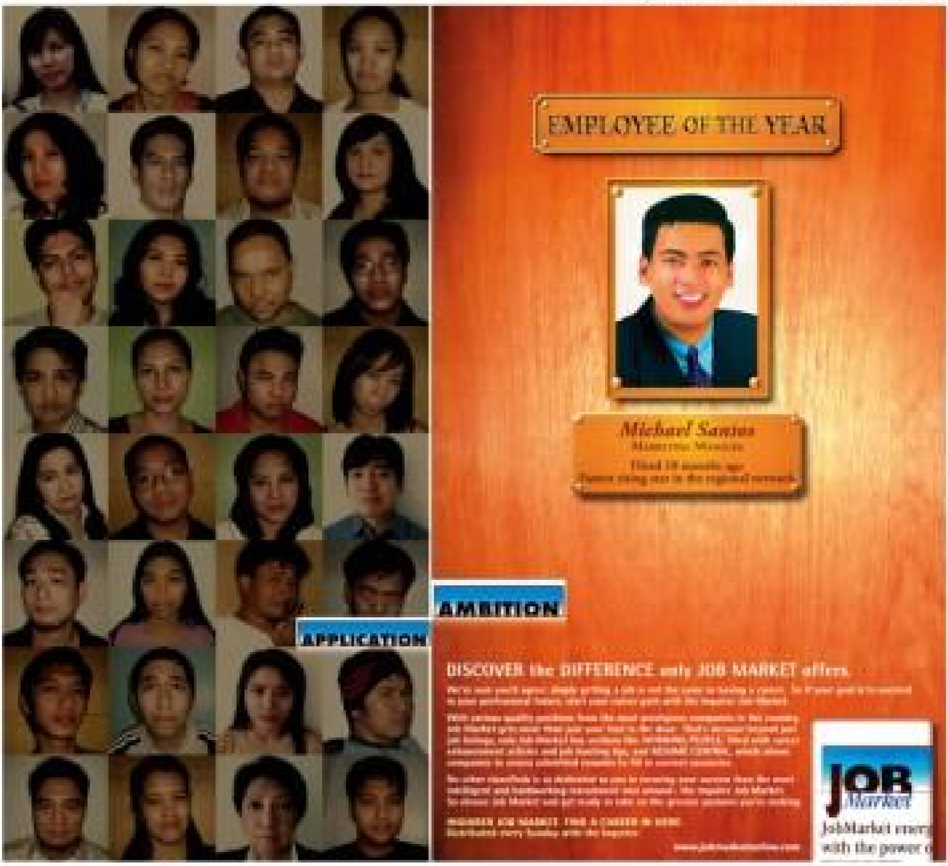
"We will begin the process of addressing our bilateral ties, with the intention of eventual normalization," Hill told a congressional panel about the upcoming talks.

"I want to emphasize the word begin—we have a lot of bilateral issues to talk about," he said.

The State Department said next week's meetings would deal exclusively with organizational matters and that the main focus remained on pursuing six-nation negotiations to achieve the full dismantling of North Korea's nuclear program and arsenal.

"Don't look at it as a meeting that's going to produce breakthrough results," department spokesman Sean McCormack said. "There's a lot of work to do." Under the multi-phase Feb. 13 agreement worked out in talks involving China, Japan, South Korea, Russia and the United States, North Korea had 60 days to shut down its Yongbyon nuclear facility under international monitor inspectors and declare all its nuclear programs.

The US and its partners agreed in return to provide North Korea with a first aid installment of 50,000 tonnes of heavy fuel oil, while Washington committed to launching a "working group" on bilateral ties within 30 days. AFP



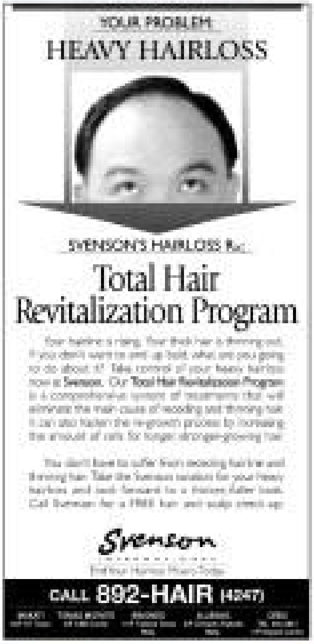
SPORTS

Well-funded RP five starts bonding in US

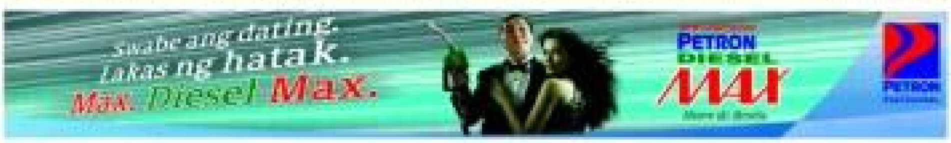
A HIGH-PROFILE TRAINING for a high-profile national basketball squad.













Compton signs 1-conference deal as import



DREAM FULFILLED: Alex Compton

Hot Que fires 69, Miñoza 75 in JW

Mighty Women's Cup caging opens Sunday

Well-funded . . .

Basketball TV to air NBC rite



Central Colleges Bobcats enter finals

On February 17, 2007 the Central Colleges of the Philippines Bobcats cheerleading team came in second at the elimination round of the 2007 National Cheerleading Championships (NCC). Central Colleges of the Philippines trails University of the Philippines by only one point entering into the finals which will be held on March 4, 2007 at the ULTRA.

The National Cheerleading Competition (NCC) is the country's first and only cheerleading competition which employs international rules and regulations. This event is modeled after the American Cheerleading Competitions, the highest level of competition in the world of cheerleading. It is the only Philippine cheerleading event sanctioned by a US-based cheerleading organization, the Cheerleaders of America (COA).



After UE and San Beda, PCU pulls out players from PBL

Adidas King of the Road listing enters final week

Murakami leads Omega Cup with 68







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Sixers shade Suns

Shaq attack sparks Heat victory

Federer, Nadal advance as Davydenko stumbles



Valero faces Japanese, keeps eye on Pacman

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Nestle earmarks ₱1.3B for RP expansion

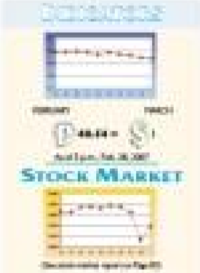


PSE PRESIDENT Francis Lim (center) briefs the media during a dialogue at the PSE trading boardroom.

Local stocks recover; traders remain bullish

Boosting capacity to meet rising demand

NESTLÉ PHILIPPINES INC. YESTERDAY SAID IT was investing at least P1.3 billion this year on its four plants in the country to jack up production capacity to meet rising demand for its products.



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Quezon City hub will employ 1,200 people



PRESIDENT Macapagal-Arroyo, Quezon city Mayor Sonny Belmonte, and Dell vice president Dick Hunter cheer the opening of Dell's customer support center at the Eastwood Cyberpark in Quezon City.

SMDC profit up 51% in 2006

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Discrepancies in BOI, BIR reports disturbing

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TVI unit in RP enters new exploration phase

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RP can withstand global shocks, gov't claims

Big drop in stock market described as an 'overreaction'

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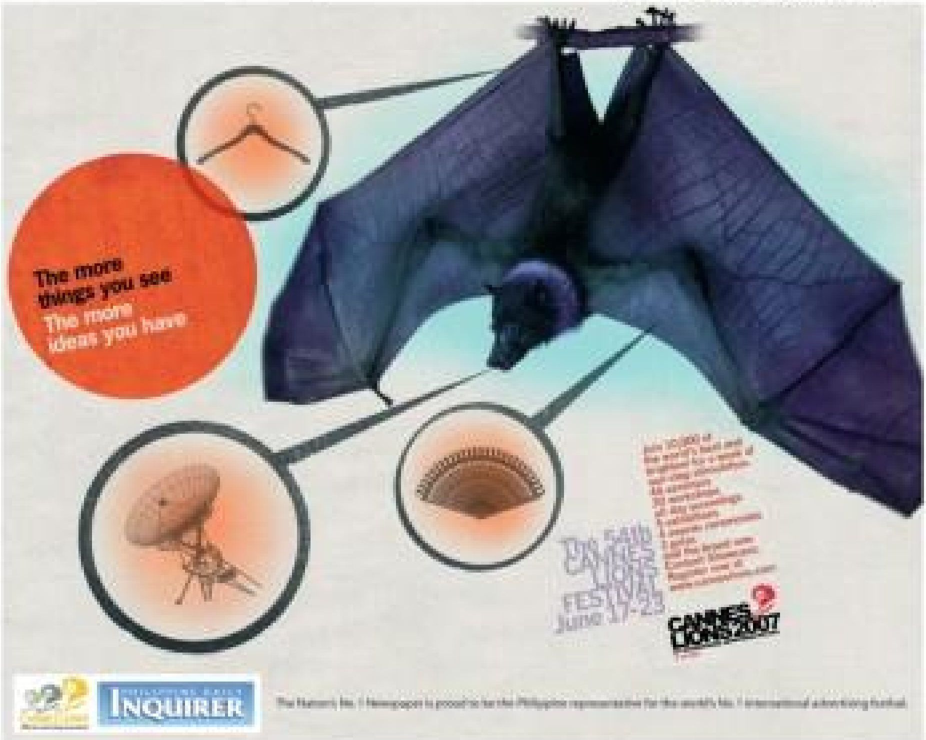
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From rockets to racquets: Dunlop and the Nasa factor





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Via technology, top educators enhance learning experience



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By Margie Quimpo-Espino



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Contest aims to create young business-minded Pinoys

By Doris C. Dumlao



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Portrait of Bacolod's young Tsinoy entrepreneurs

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'My product has failed to take off after two years and I might lose my job!'



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New generic brand



Coron chronicles

It takes much more than just the click of a camera to take stunning fashion images

By Apples Aberin-Sadhwani

THERE IS A GENERAL impression that denizens of the fashion industry lead glamorous, charmed lives. This is probably because everyone sees only the end products in the form of strikingly flawless (not to mention Photoshopped) images of gorgeous models in exotic locales, dressed in expensive designer clothes.

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STYLISTS Millet Arriaga and Audrey Salazar at work

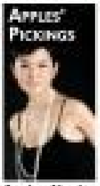


Hero
Gold lamé halter dress and skirts by Rand Pacrina (cel. 0917-8998715); bangles from Anthology at Power Plant; studded eyewear from David Brennan (exclusively distributed by Mossyrock Intl. Corp.)

Revisiting the future

With a bit of imagination and derring-do, you can find endless ways to create your own 'cyber couture' look

Photographs Jun De Leon using Phase One Digital Back Styling Mike V. Arriaga Hair and makeup Laura Ramos of Stephanie Salon using Air Tan by Model Co. and Smashbox Cosmetics, available at Beauty Bar Models Lucia E. (www.chanceloverint.com) and Amy Perez Quick Tan Airbrush Tanning (for model Amy) by Belo Medical Center; The Podium; contact lenses from Fresh Look Color Blends; nail polish from Cutex; accommodations from Jargans. Shot on location at Banol beach, Coron, Palawan.



APPLES' PICKINGS

Apples Aberin-Sadhwani

Special thanks to Gov. Joel Reyes of Palawan, Mayor Marjo Reyes of Coron, Councilor Jim Pe, Louie Cruz, South East Asian Airlines (Seair), Patrick Tan and Pio de Villa of Seair, Jess Zira, Club Paradise

THERE IS A CHANGING mood in fashion this season. After a year of retrospective collections and charming, romantic prints, designers are recklessly revisiting the future in what could be an attempt to keep up with an increasingly technologically savvy world.

Fashion runways around the world were rife with robo-warriors and space-age superheroes in shiny, sometimes hard-edged pieces and the staple little silver dress.

Nicolas Ghesquière headed the pack of futurists with his armoured, "Star"-inspired collection. John Galliano constructed sleek jackets and dresses with chain detailing in charred neon-galactic fantasies, while Hussein Chalayan created mechanical dresses that had lives of their own.

Homegrown designers like James Reyes, Jerome Ang, Rand Pacrina, Jun Fernando and Gurimun Reiheng also used cyber elements and accents such as silver hardware, and slippery metallized satin to realize their own visions of the fashion future. Like alchemists or mad scientists, these designers cleverly fashioned silver or gold into fantastic but decidedly feminine pieces.

You need not get lived when jumping on to this trend bandwagon. Embracing the future does not translate to exaggerated silhouettes or a head-to-foot sci-fi getup. You don't have to blast a trail in full-on armor to keep up. Bear in mind that what you see on the runways or on these pages are showpieces that are super styled for visual impact.

The key to effectively adopting the trend is in choosing more refined versions of potentially outlandish fashion. Combine wardrobe staples like skinny jeans or stovepipe pants with a silvery structured top. Or choose your pieces like tunics with vinyl piping or subtle chain details.

Accessories are also a fail-safe way to latch on to futuristic fashion. Go for cyber-inspired platforms, or metallic bags made of high-tech foils or plastics. If budget is not an issue and you can get into what promises to be a long waiting list, Balenciaga sunglasses are definite must-haves. If not, it will surely take no more than a few months for retail brands to come up with acceptable and more affordable versions.

With a lot of imagination and derring-do—and a touch of humor, too—you'll surely find endless ways to create your own cyber couture look. So, get ready! The countdown to fashion's futuristic mood starts now.

E-mail the author at abinsonline@inquirer.com.ph



Fallen alien
Gunmetal mini dress by Jerome Ang (cel. 0917-5488847); leggings from Topshop; silver bracelets by ...; metal cuff with ... (exclusively) by ... Mall; 7.00315; bangles from Anthology at Power Plant



Ascension
Pleated black dress with chain detail by Jun Fernando (cel. 0917-8117813); footwear by Extra; bangles from Anthology



Bronze horizon
Bronze sequined bustier and skirt by Gurimun Reiheng (cel. 0917-4852622); leggings from Topshop; eyewear and black watch from Nike (Pure Juice) Vision and Mike Vianing; bangles from Anthology



Coron chronicles

From page C1

If not for Millet and Louie Ocio's patience and perseverance, Mayor Marjo Reyes' generosity, and Zoulo's Patrick Tan and Pia de Villa's much needed assistance, this trip would never have materialized.

Before the trip, stylist Millet made sure that the group had everything it needed to shoot two fashion editorials for Inquirer Fashion plus a travelogue for Lifestyle. She had (casually fair-skinned) Amy Vertez undergo a QuickTan air brush spraying session with the Belo Medical Center in order to achieve an exotic, island-girl look.

She also found supplies for colored contact lenses (thank you, Fresh Look!). And during the shoots, she even lugged around a pop tent (among her many other styling paraphernalia) so models could easily change from one outfit to the next.

The talents were no less professional. Models Amy and Lucia climbed rocks, perched and writhed on mangroves and pebbles and held impossible poses while makeup artist Lourd made sure their hair was in place and their makeup intact.



CAPTURING that picture-perfect moment at CYC beach.



LOURD touches up Amy's makeup before another take.



MODELS Amy Vertez and Lucia Diaz all made up and ready to pose at 4 a.m.

Joni used (or rather, risked) ultra-expensive equipment while he shot on the water, while Ikase Villamor raised his camera while climbing precariously steep walls.

Even though the team barely had three or four hours of sleep every night after working under the scorching sun all day, and was out in the pitch black ocean headed for various islands by 4 a.m. each day, everyone came on time, never complained and worked with a sparkling sense of humor that was the perfect salve to fatigue, sunburn and puffiness.

Needless to say, Coron was the perfect venue for Inquirer Fashion's summer-theme editorials. The magnificent limestone cliffs, the clear turquoise waters and the white sandy beaches were all awe-inspiring. Sunrise and sunset were much-awaited, and even the dead of night was a welcome treat as the heavens lit up with a frame of bright, twinkling stars.

But ultimately, it takes much more than just the click of a camera to take stunning images. In the end, a motivated, hard-working team blessed with professionalism, passion and heart is truly what it takes.

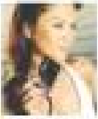
Then again, it also helps to have a backdrop as breathtaking as Coron.



LIMESTONE cliffs at Banol beach, the perfect backdrop for the "cyber couture" story



SETTING the stage for the golden goddess



THE AUTHOR uses her trusty Sony Cyber-shot DSC-T50 to take behind-the-scenes photos.



LUCIA and Lourd channel Marc Hebert by a "bum" plane.



MAYOR Marjo Reyes and Councilor Jim Po graciously welcome the group upon arrival at the Busuanga airport.

Big smiles welcome the new SM City Bacolod

The dynamics of lifestyle malling has finally come of age in Negros as SM opens its 28th Supermall in Reclamation Area, Bacolod City.

Smiles of great expectations welcome SM City Bacolod, the newest member of SM Supermalls' nationwide chain. Open from 10 am to 9 pm, Mondays thru Sundays, SM City Bacolod answers the need of Negrenses for a one-stop malling destination that carries a diverse range of merchandise, services, dining places, and entertainment options.



what's in store for all

SM Department Store · SM Supermarket · SM Cinema · SM Food Court · Watsons · Surplus Shop · ACE Hardware · SM Appliance Center

APPAREL / SHOES / BAGS

Artwork · Bayo · Bench · Celine · Dickies · Folded & Hung · For Me · Guess · Guess Kids · Hang Ten · Human · Kamiseta · Kids of Bayo · La Jean de Marithé + François Girbaud · Lookit · Mphis · Memo · Mendrez · Oxygen · Plains & Prints · Penshoppe · Rusty Lopez · Sel Fab · The Travel Club · Xsponsor

HEALTH & BEAUTY / WELLNESS

David's Ice Ritsyo · Dermcare · Dermaline · Let's Face It · Onaliesse · The Body Shop · The Face Shop

RESTAURANTS / FAST FOOD

Bigby's · Bob's Restaurant · Cattle Farm · Chicken Deli · Chowking · Figaro · Goldilocks · Greenwich · Jollibee · KFC · L' Kaisei · Mang Inasal · Max's · McDonald's · Mister Donut · Pietro Kaffee · Pizza Hut · Rai Rai Ken · Red Ribbon · Shakey's · Sbarro · Ted's Batchoy · Yellow Cab

JEWELRY & WATCHES / ACCESSORIES / OPTICAL

Accessorize · Angle Eye Care · Bangles of Joy · Casio · Chronos · Diamond Rich · Diamanté Jewelry Collection · Executive Optical · Eye Crafter · Francia · Ideal Vision · Karat World · L' Desir Studio · Mazzolla · Ne Corthow · Pink Box · RG Optical · Sarabia Optical · Silverworks · Time Depot · Unisilver · Unisilver Time · Vision Express · Watch Republic

SPECIALTY STORES

Chez Rose · National Bookstore · Philippine Christian Bookstore · House of Prayer · Booksale · Mowi Pasalubong · Sports Haven

CELLPHONES / GADGETS / FUN

Astroplus · BCG Digital · Bingo · BSH International · Cell Interface · Circuit City · Galleon Telecom · Games & Gadgets · Game Place · Globe Telecom · IEC Computers · Nokia · Odyssey · Octagon Computers · Play Telecom · Po's Digital · Quantum · Smart · World of Fun

SERVICES

Banco de Oro · Kids' Court · Fuji Film · YKL · LBC · Mr Quickie · Photoline · Playmates · Travel Experts Center

ENTERTAINMENT

at the Event Centre, Northwing

Dingdong Dantes
Hataol Mall Tour
March 2 · 11 am

Christian Bautista
Album Tour
March 2 · 4 pm

Bea Alonzo with **Sabado Barkada**
March 3 · 11 am

John Lloyd Cruz
ASN Time Meet & Greet
March 3 · 4 pm

Bongga Mall Show with the **Super Twins**
Nadine Samonte, Dennis Trillo & Jennylyn Mercado
March 4 · 2 pm

at the Fiesta Strip, Southwing

Spectacular Fireworks
March 2 · 7 pm
with **Grupo Tribale**
March 3 · 7 pm
with **Full Flava**

at the Southwing Lobby

Up Next Band
March 4 · 4 pm

LifeStyle

FASHION



A place in the SUN

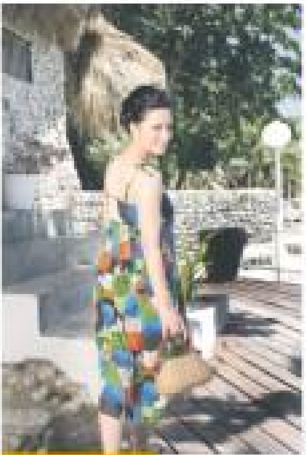


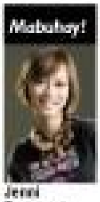




A place in the SUN

A great beach destination is one that will do justice to fashionable pieces and show just how fabulous you are





Mabuhay!

Jenni Epperson

HOW DO YOU know when a getaway destination is perfect? It's when pictures never look the same and the lighting is always perfect whatever time of day. There's always a nook and cranny that transports you to another place on the globe.

If you're not sure what to pack for such a place, my simple rule is that you can always buy whatever you need when you get there. [illegible]

Take for example the Manami boutique in Boracay. This quaint little shop is a welcome respite after the grueling sunburnt you [illegible]

VINTAGE print chiffon sundress by Cocolini and raffia bag with beaded wooden handle, both available at the Manami Boutique, Nami Boracay. Terraced vintage stools by [illegible]

Angelic legs in her day with sandals, the best accessory to a chiffon sundress in graphic vintage print. With a spring in her step, she starts the day right and she never leaves home without the raffia bag that any fashionista is nothing.



RED crochet dress and bikini bottom by Cocolini available at Manami boutique, Nami Boracay; coconut raffia woven bangles, available at Wiggles Boracay. [illegible]

are from climbing its steep and breathtakingly hillside steps.

You get the feeling you're in Bali or some cozy shop in Greece. With bamboo flooring and an all-white interior, the boutique showcases not only the fashionable but the fashionable as well.

You can choose from a variety of swimwear by Twiddo, Mia by Charina Sarte and Cocolini as well as one-of-a-kind clutch bags with coral beads and unique [illegible] by [illegible]

Also, don't feel a wide array of [illegible] and [illegible] bags and accessories are also available. The other items I got were [illegible] summer dresses that could also double as a beach cover-up. I walked away with more items than I had planned on buying.

In the unlikely event that a place in the sun exists elsewhere, the little nano sunshine that you see—your bronze bod, shining smile and sunny outlook—would just have to do it.

(E-mail the author at [illegible])

In a red crochet dress that leaves a lot to the imagination, she leaves the rocks and corals around with raffia bangles and her most important accessory—a naughty smile that says it all and a phone that contains the magic words: "I can't wait to see you!"



STRIPED bikini by Twiddo and striped crochet bag, all available at Manami boutique, Nami Boracay

It's a brand new day and nothing is out her thing. Donning her nautical-inspired swimsuit and ethnic beads, she leaves with joy—After all, there are many fish in the sea!

Photography Erwin Barboa for Edge of Light
Model Angela Boyd (ILU) Direct Management
Styling & makeup Ramy Zalamea for Sho Manners using the 2007 Spring/Summer Paradise Collection
Hair Mickey Soo for Sho Manners
Shot on Location at Nami resort, Boracay



CREAM bandana and bikini bottoms by Cocolini and coral bangles and bra crochet top, all available at the Manami boutique, Nami Boracay. Plus [illegible]

With the wind in her hair and the sun on her face, she has just received a message that reads for your eyes only. The smile on her face matches the two-piece with crochet top and vintage print head scarf which screams sundress chic.

"ONLY NAMI HOTOTEMPS" was presented by Manami, Sho Manners, Nami Resort and Skills. It was also supported by [illegible]. For reservations at Nami Resort, contact the Manila Office at [illegible] or www.namiresort.com

LifeStyle











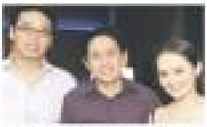


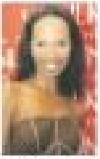


Color advice from the experts

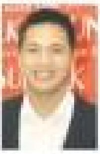
















ALESSANDRA Tono



CHINA Cojuangco



SAVANNAH Lumen



ANDI Manzano



MIKA Lagdameo

They dare to shine in color!



Jo Ann Bitagcol



RAYA Mananquil



DIVINE Lee

Dazzling in black





DEBBIE Co



ANNA Palabyab

natural color but should choose carefully what color matches personality and lifestyle."

Beautiful burgundy belles

For individuals who'd like to make the dramatic change to burgundy, red hair tones are among the more vibrant shades, evoking passion and energy.

Real estate maven and Globe Asiatique's vice president Evelyn Lee says, "This color captures my personality. Hair color makes a big difference in setting your mood and telling people who you are. This is 1: passionate and adventurous."

Women can also take their cue from musician-writer Alexandra Trese, whose red hair is an extension of her artistic persona. "I have a pretty loud personality and my hair speaks for that," she says.

Designer Debbie Co says her red streaks represent her passionate qualities. "People should be open to change," she says. "It doesn't have to be drastic. It can be red highlights like mine, which still looks natural but makes my hair look more interesting."

A first in caring for colored hair, the new Sunsilk Colour Shine System consists of wash-and-care products especially developed for colored hair. This system lets you enjoy your color even more by adding vibrancy and shine to colored hair.



MABI Lorenzo

ADD DAZZLING SHINE TO COLORED HAIR



SUNSILK Colour Shine System Vibrant Burgundy is formulated with red cherry complex for ravishing burgundy tones.



MAKE colored hair dazzle with the new Sunsilk Colour Shine System!

EVERYDAY ENVIRONMENTAL ELEMENTS and other factors leave your colored hair dull and lacking in vitality. To make hair truly stand out, a special hair care regimen is needed to restore the shine and vibrancy of color tones.

This season, the leader in Philippine hair care once again sets the pace by introducing a first in caring for colored hair, the new Sunsilk Colour Shine System.

Sunsilk Colour adds noticeable shine to colored hair, as confirmed by 84 percent of women interviewed for a recent independent study.

The new system contains a revolutionary micro-active conditioning formula that counteracts the damaging effects of colorant chemicals without adding or depositing color. It also nourishes and smoothens hair to make it visibly smoother and shinier.

The Sunsilk Colour Shine System comes in three variants: Radiant Light Brown, specially formulated with rich passion fruit complex for brown hair; Dazzling Shiny Black, a black pearl complex for black hair; and Vibrant Burgundy, formulated with red cherry complex for burgundy tones.

Each variant has anti-protection, vitamin E and shine protectors. Sunsilk Colour Shine System shields the hair and provides essential nourishment to illuminate it from within.

To maximize the vibrancy and shine of colored hair, Sunsilk Colour Shine System suggests three simple steps: Step 1—Shampoo; Step 2—Conditioner; and Step 3—Leave-on.

The shampoo brightens color tones by gently cleansing dulling residues and helping counteract the damaging effects of colorant chemicals.

The conditioner nourishes and moisturizes hair for more shine. Hair becomes visibly smoother and shinier.

Finally, leave-on seals in the high shine and protects the hair strands from damage anytime, anywhere.

So don't be dull and dare to shine.

Oxygen bags outstanding Filipino retailer of the year

Two of Golden ABC's brands cited for the same award

















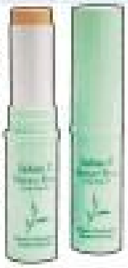
LIFESTYLE

BEAUTY

Beauty Beauty Beaut

Suffering from low self-esteem? The search for Miss Ugly (No More!) is on. Watch out for it in our Fitness section on Tuesday and learn how you can win P1 million worth of beauty-enhancing procedures from the best doctors in the country. This event is sponsored by Beverly Hills 6750 Cosmetic Surgery and Skin Institute. Three winners of a total makeover will be chosen.

Fashion 21's Perfect Stick Concealer



Skin Doctor's Gamma Hydrex Skin Resurfacing Cream



Avon's Bust-Sculpt Contouring Cream



Fab beauty finds

THERE ARE so many beauty products out there in the market. Today I'm featuring the ones that I find exciting and that I hope you would want to check out.

KNOCKOUT!



Rio Francisco-Prieto

Kamouflage's Jungle Bronze Self-Tanning Spray



La Prairie Skin Caviar



Kamouflage's Jungle Bronze Bronzing Skin Tone



Maui Island's Secret Browning Formula



Island Spice's Hair Spa



Nail Polish



L'oreal Tec Play Ball Series



Fashion 21 Perfect Lips



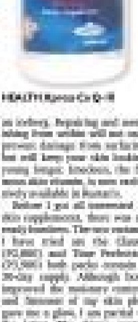
Anti-obesity supplements

MAKEOVER 911



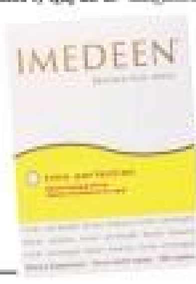
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L-Carnitine



HEALTH Xpress Co Q-10

Tackling the whole iceberg



IMEDEEN Time Perfection for ages 35-50


GRADUATION DAY SALE
Makati Supermart
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From March 02 to 18, 2007
THE CHAIN MARTS!
SUPER VALUE STORES
Campbell's
Cream of Mushroom, Canada
P34.95
Nabisco
Welch's
100% Grape Juice Purple
P181.50
Nestle Crunch
Milk Chocolate or Crisped Rice
P128.50
Underwood
Liver Wurst Spread
P72.50
Wishbone
Country Time
Nestea
Betty Crocker
Franzia
Gardenia
Kraft
Planters
Colgate
Close-Up
Dove
Ariel

Bag the big savings at SM Supermalls on March 2, 3 & 4

2 WAYS TO WIN

FILL UP RAFFLE COUPON OR TEXT SM TO 2366

3-Day Sale shoppers at SM City Manila, SM Southmall and SM City Pampanga get the chance to win one of 60 units of **Xtreme Magic Sing MP3 players** at stake in the March 4 & 5 draws.

Every P500 single-receipt purchase (cash or charge) from SM Department Store, SM Supermarket or from any participating mall establishment (food or non-food) entitles shoppers to their choice of promo entries, namely:

1. **raffle coupon**, which they can fill out and drop at designated drop boxes; or
2. **texting SM to 2366** for their electronic entry.

Raffle coupon draws will be held on March 4 at 10 pm at the Event Center of each participating mall, while the electronic draws will be held at 5 pm on March 5 at the ABS-CBN Interactive Office, 9th floor, ELJ Communications Center Bldg., Mother Ignacia Avenue, South Triangle, Quezon City. All winners can only win once.

upto 50% off great selections



3 day SALE

march 2 • 3 • 4

Mall hours: 10am - 10pm

3 days of cool deals on great selections await shoppers during the weekend sale of **SM City Manila, SM Southmall** in Las Piñas, and **SM City Pampanga** in San Fernando.

An exciting mix of merchandise and services are showcased at up to **50% off!**

Downtown shopping at SM Manila

Have a good time sale-shopping at the SM mall that reflects the glory days of a proud and historic city. Special finds are up for grabs at participating stores mallwide, while **SM Department Store, SM Supermarket** and **SM Food Court** continue to provide shoppers with the best buys in terms of quality, freshness and prices.

Check out a movie at **SM Cinema**.

Value plus fun — SM Southmall Las Piñas

Shop south and bag the cool deals at SM Southmall's 3-Day Sale. Meet to eat at **SM Food Court**. Cap your shopping with a magical adventure at **SM Storyland**, located at the upper ground floor. Also check out **Toy Kingdom** on the same floor for the latest arrivals. Both are guaranteed to give the whole family hours of amazing fun.

Watch a movie at **SM Cinema**.

Dog owners can bring their pets on March 4 for free grooming at the Ultimate PETONE Dog Care on Wheels event at **Ace Hardware**, located at the Upper Ground Floor, East Hallway.

Great eats & wholesome relaxation — SM Pampanga

Unbeatable price-offs on the widest merchandise mix are in store for residents of San Fernando and neighboring towns. After a shopping sortie, shoppers are invited to sample their tempting array of Pampangueño delicacies and international dishes at **SM Food Court**.

Meanwhile, the luxurious seating amenities and wide-screen facilities of **SM Cinema** invites mallers to relax and enjoy the latest movies in airconditioned comfort.



SM SUPERMALLS

MANILA • SOUTHMALL • PAMPANGA

LIFESTYLE



Designers and models who rode high during the era of luncheon fashion shows reunited for a long overdue tribute

LIFE-STYLED
Thelma Sioson San Juan

One fab reunion where models glided



One fab reunion where models glided





TV moment



Mild Oscars



PWU alumni reunion March 3

GOINGS ON



DONATION TO PONDONG PINOY



Sandals that stand for something

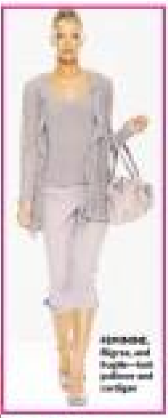






Classic yet casual

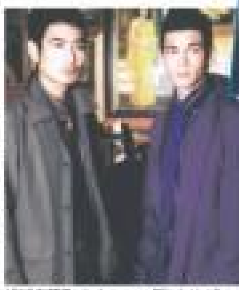














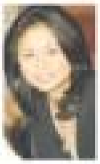
Elegance in subtle details

LAUREL SHIFTS TO SUBTLE DETAILS AND A subdued look for its Spring/Summer 2007 Collection. Appliqués and decorations are on the quiet, delicate side, while maintaining the luxurious feel of haute couture.

















The best of the best

WITHOUT BATTING AN EYELASH



Best cell phones



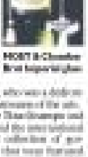
NOKIA



MOTOROLA

Best bars, venues

Best personalities





ENTERTAINMENT

Editor: Ronnie R. Velasco





AURAEUS Solito and Oscar winner Ryan Gosling ("Half Nelson") at the after-party.



RP film pitted against Oscar winner

ONLY IN HOLLYWOOD
Ruben V. Nepales



Auraeus Solito's Spirit Awards nomination was a big deal

LOS ANGELES—JUST HOW IMPORTANT an honor was it for Auraeus Solito to be nominated in the Best Foreign Film category (the award is given to the director) of the Film Independent's Spirit Awards held last weekend?

The Filipino filmmaker, cited for his first feature, "Ang Pagdadalaga ni Maximo Oliveros," was up against Germany's Florian Henckel von Donnersmarck, who won the award. The following day, Florian, vying for the same film, "The Lives of Others," triumphed again at the Oscars.

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The fun part

[illegible]

Pinoy hospitality

[illegible]

Kris & James show

By Jose Javier Reyes

THE IRONY WAS THAT, ON the 21st anniversary of the 1986 People Power Revolution, the attention of the public was not on the lackluster celebrations at the Edsa Shrine. Rather, all eyes and ears were focused on what was deemed a much bigger event. This was the unfolding of yet another chapter in the telenovela life of Ninoy Aquino's youngest daughter.

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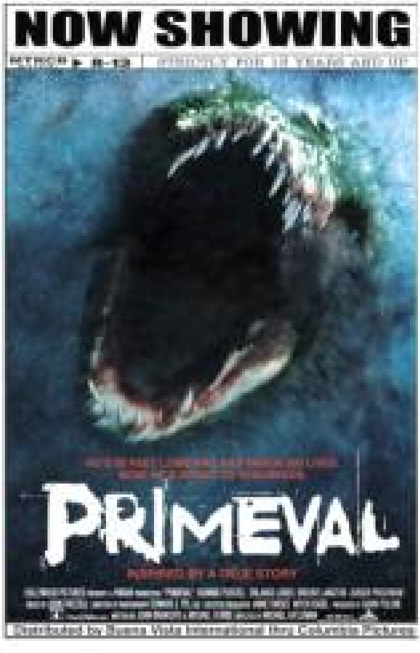
Very thin line

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A HAPPY couple not too long ago.





ROBINSONS MOVIEWORLD CINEMAS MOVIE GUIDE

CINEMA ACCESS
635-5555
FOR ALL BRANCHES

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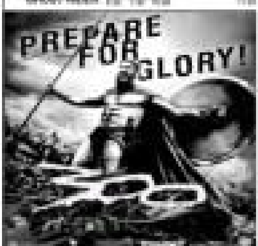
NOW SHOWING !

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OPENS MARCH 7 AT ROBINSONS MOVIEWORLD

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1 PRIMEVAL
2 YOU GOT ME
3 IT'S A BOY GIRL THING
4 FLUSHED AWAY
5 EPIC MOVIE
6 GHOST RIDER

PIONEER

1 PRIMEVAL [illegible]
2 FLUSHED AWAY [illegible]
3 YOU GOT ME [illegible]
4 IT'S A BOY GIRL THING [illegible]

STA. ROSA

1 PRIMEVAL
2 THE FOUNTAIN
3 TROIKA
4 YOU GOT ME

LIPA

1 GHOST RIDER
2 YOU GOT ME
3 THE CLEANER
4 TROIKA
5 BABEL

DASMARIÑAS

1 BOX
2 MUSIC and LYRICS
3 YOU GOT ME
4 PRIMEVAL

ANGELES

1 PRIMEVAL
2 YOU GOT ME
3 TROIKA
4 THE FOUNTAIN

IMUS

1 PRIMEVAL
2 BLOOD and CHOCOLATE
3 YOU GOT ME
4 IT'S A BOY GIRL THING

STARMILLS

1 THE FOUNTAIN
2 TROIKA
3 THE PROMISE
4 YOU GOT ME
5 PRIMEVAL
6 GHOST RIDER

BACOLOD

1 MUSIC and LYRICS
2 THE MESSENGERS
3 YOU GOT ME
4 GHOST RIDER
5 PRIMEVAL
6 APOCALYPTO

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1 PRIMEVAL
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SM CINEMA

movietime SHOWTIME

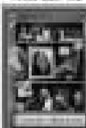
Your life as a movie



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CATCH AND RELEASE

Now Showing at SM Mall of Asia Cinema

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Watch for FREE

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FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 2007

Kris & J

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Media voyeurism

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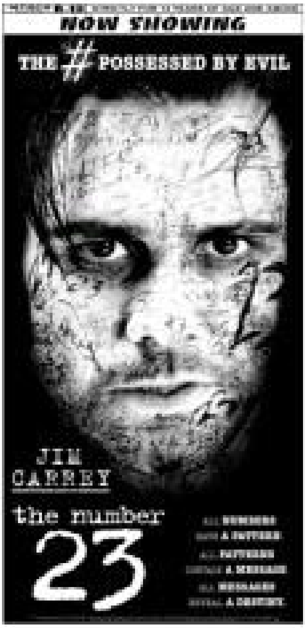
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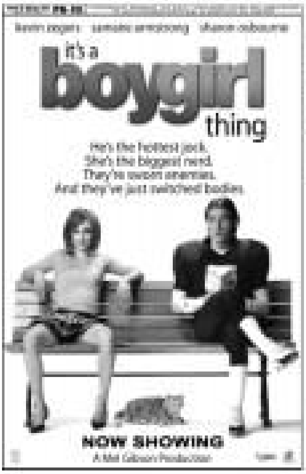
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ENTERTAINMENT

Racy pics on Internet: Looks like 'Idol's' Antonella Barba

Rushes



Naked, naked Daniel

'The J&J Project'

Red carpet for Liz, 75

Incredible welcome



DANIEL Radcliffe in "Equus."



PAROKYA ni Edgar

Bossa nova takes on rock

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Viewfinder



Nestor U. Torre

Messy bundle

Twice upstaged

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'Letters from Iwo Jima'

RP film pitted against Oscar winner

Vagina monologue

Sunset glow

Living Stars



Tail Tales

HEART EVANGELISTA

EVEN THOUGH I HAVE ASTHMA, I take care of three dogs: [illegible], a nine-year-old English Cocker Spaniel; Xion, a one-year-old Cavalier King Charles Spaniel; and Daris, a two-year-old Jack Russell. I got them [illegible] because I'm always out of the house. I bring them to the vet for their checkups, and to the groomer for regular [illegible]—especially if it's [illegible] season. I'm allowed to have pets, as long as I take my medicines. For me, though, because of their fine hair, I [illegible]; they give me pure joy. I'd like to be [illegible] someday. I plan to coordinate with [illegible] welfare group) PAWS soon.

—Bayani San Diego Jr.



Books

PIOLO PASCUAL

MY EARLY READING fare consists of the Bible and other Christian books, like "Heaven is so Real," by Choo Thomas, "My Utmost for His Highest" by Oswald Chambers, "Experiencing God: Knowing and Doing His Will" by Henry T. Blackaby and "The Heavenly Man: The Remarkable True Story of Chinese Christian Brother Yun" by Brother Yun and Paul Hattaway. "Heaven is so Real" was lent to me by [illegible] friend Rica Peralejo. These books touch me a lot. These books recount first-hand experiences of people who fought for their faith. I am very choosy when it comes to books. I prefer those that inspire, encourage and enlighten me. I seldom get the chance to read. But I never miss out on spiritual books. I also read the Bible every night before I sleep.

—Bayani San Diego Jr.



"ANGEL" painting is by Marilou Diaz-Abaya; the antique chair, lamp and statue of Saint Sebastian, from his old shop, Flashlight.



MINIATURE mask collection from Bacolod's Masskara Festival.

'Paraiso ni Maryo'

Award-winning filmmaker has built a place of rest and relaxation in Laguna which, he just recently realized, should be shared with friends





CENTERPIECE of the party area, which accommodates 150 people, is a chalod tree.

By Bayani San Diego Jr.

Photos by Rudy Esperas

HOME BODY

FILMMAKER MARYO J. DE LOS Reyes calls his little piece of paradise in Pansol, Laguna "a labor of love." He literally built it from the ground up.

Construction took five long years, he recounts. "We built in stages. When I didn't have work, construction had to stop."

Most of the furnishings and art pieces are from his old antique shop/art gallery called Flashlight in Quezon City.

He has displayed paintings by friends, like filmmaker Marilou Diaz-Abaya, critic Gigi Alfonso and actor Nya Mediarb, Bonnick Sarmiento and Anna Marie Gutierrez.

In the master bedroom is a headboard with autumn leaves.

"I've always wanted to sleep under a tree," he explains.

In the room are some of his favorite things, including an antique aparador formerly owned by revolutionary president Emilio Aguinaldo and a pair of Ilob-Ilob ice-cream-bowl lamps.

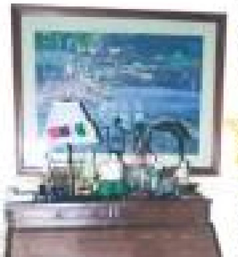
PARAISO 8



THE master bedroom, with its faux foliage. He has always dreamt of sleeping under a tree, the filmmaker explains.

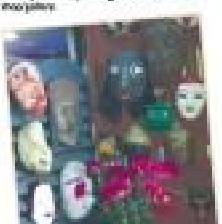


ANTIQUE table, painting also from his old shop/gallery.





FLOWERS in the kitchen. They are called Azucena, Maryo J says.



MASK collection from Korea, Africa, Thailand, Japan and Mexico.

ANGELS and Japanese dolls rest on the escritorio.



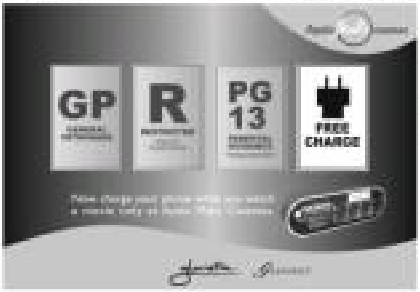
BAY WINDOWS and antique pieces give the living room a rustic feel.

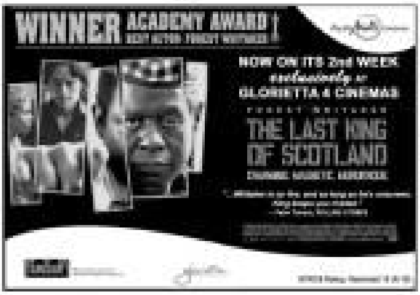


THE TERRACE is Maryo J's favorite nook. "I sometimes sleep here, under the moon and stars."



CAFE-LOUNGE features a mini-bar, stained glass windows from old houses and his movie posters.


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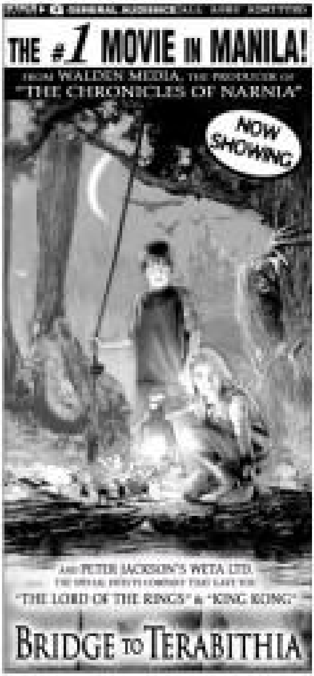

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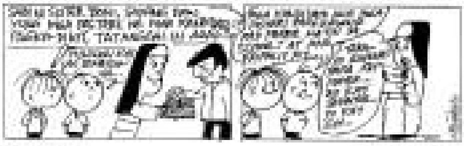
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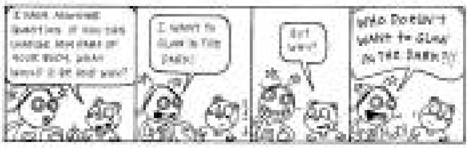
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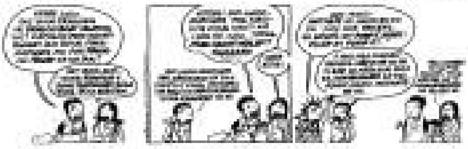
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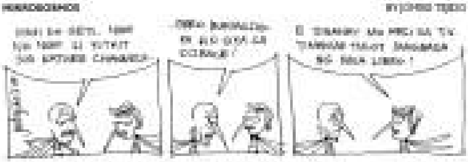
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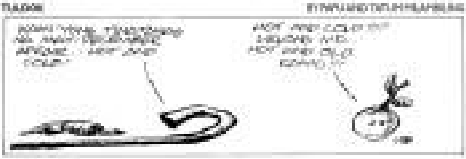
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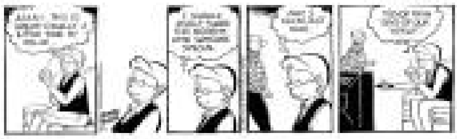
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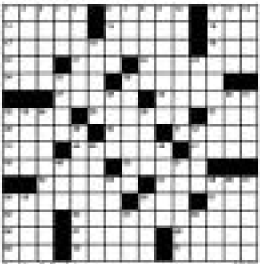
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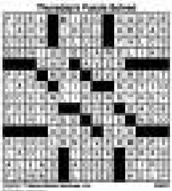


BEN BY DANIEL SHELTON



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JENNIFER Lopez and husband Marc Anthony



ELLEN DeGeneres, Portia de Rossi and Ellen's mom Betty DeGeneres

Favorite Nooks

ARA MINA

The entertainment room is very Zen, with gray walls and minimalist in design. I've always been partial to masculine designs. This is where I hang out, spend time on DVDs and the Magic Sing. I set up a flat-screen TV and digital-surround system speakers in this soundproof room. I like watching horror movies and the TV show "Grey's Anatomy" here. It's also where I keep my collection of toy cars and angels and my guitar that bears my portrait—it was made by Bon-Jon Tolibas of Pampanga.

Reynaldo San Diego Jr.



Dawn's mommy moments

As mom to her one-year-old son Jacobo, actress Dawn Zulueta says she's "quite hands-on," taking over from the nanny during on days off from work.

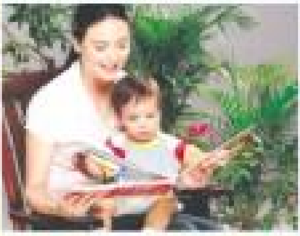
"When I have shootings, I need to sleep early, without disturbance. So the nanny has to watch over Jacobo, feed him during the night and bathe him in the morning. But as soon as I get even just a couple of days off, I take over," says Dawn. She adds that her husband Anton shares in the task as well.

The actress recounts that she needed the assistance of a neonatal nurse during Jacobo's first few months, since he had been born prematurely.

Lately, she has been shuttling between Davao and Manila and back for her TV commitments. She is also the endorser of Gain Plus Advance, the milk formula recommended by Jacobo's pediatrician.



DAWN Zulueta with her son Jacobo





'Paraiso ni Maryo'

From page E1

In the living room and sympa corners are showcased his collection of masks from numerous travels abroad—from Korea to Mexico, from Japan to New York.

In the nipa hut are lined up miniature masks from Bacolod's Masskara Festival.

Likewise strewn all over the place are framed posters of his movies, the only reminders of those life in film-biz.

He could use a break just now, as he starts work on a new Star Cinema movie, tentatively titled "I Don't Want You to Go," with Aga Muhlach, Angelica Panganiban and Maxie/Sam Milby.

Apart from his bedroom, another favorite is the Blue Room, where "it's very quiet."

He is planning to set up a Balinese spa massage area.

Meanwhile, he has called the place Studio 58, and opened it for a few dear friends' gatherings. Cesar Montano, Boy Carlos, Christopher de Leon and Al Tantay have brought their families here.

Maryo points out, "This place is meant to be shared."



THE BLUE room is the most relaxing area in the house, he says.



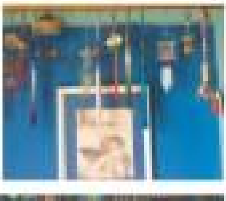
A COLLECTION of portraits and caricatures done by artist-friends.



THE LIVING room features a Botero, an antique birthing chair from Bohol.



BY ANNA Maria Gutierrez



MASKS chosen from all over



BY WILLY Layug



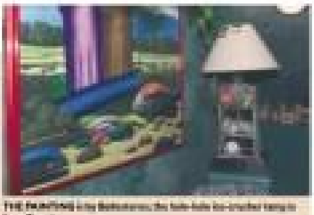
THERE'S a pool and jacuzzi.



IN THE cafe-lounge, with pet Viggo and friend Honey Flores.



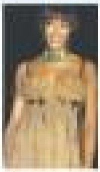
MARYO J. arranges flowers in the buffet area. "This relaxes me," he says.



THE PAINTING in his Bali-room; the hole-hole tie-crochet lamp is from Baguio.

At the Vanity Fair after-Oscars bash


RACHEL GRIFFITHS


NAOMI CAMPBELL

PARTY! PARTY!


AL Gore and wife Tipper


GAVIN Rossdale and Gwen Stefani

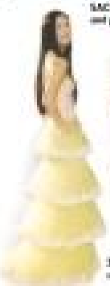

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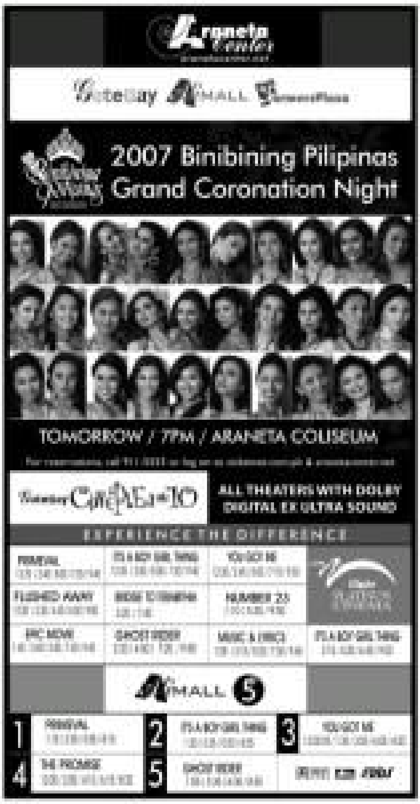





SACHA Baron Cohen and girlfriend Isla Fisher


SHARON Stone


ZIYI Zhang






FOREST Whitaker and wife Keisha


MARTIN Scorsese and wife Helen Morris

